

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend page 18, lines 16 and 17, as follows:

"Ester" refers to $R_{51}C(O)R_{76}$ - $R_{51}C(O)R_{76}$ - wherein R_{51} is a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group, an aryl group or an arylheterocyclic ring, as defined herein and R_{76} R_{76} is oxygen or sulfur.